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Applicant : Roderick SCOTT
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Title : METHOD FOR MODULATING CELL PROLIFERATION IN THE
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PETITION FOR THREE (3) MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a three (3) month extension of time within which to submit a response to the outstanding Office Action dated November 24, 2010, thereby extending the period within which to file a response up to and including May 24, 2011. A Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is being filed concurrently herewith.

Applicant filed a Continuation Patent Application with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") on May 24, 2011, claiming priority to the above-referenced patent application, but unintentionally failed to request a Petition for a 3-Month Extension of Time with the requisite petition fee in this patent application. The Continuation Patent Application has been accorded U.S. Patent Application No. 13/114,656.

Please charge the **Deposit Account No. 50-0206** in the amount of \$555.00 to cover the fee for a three month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), at the small entity rates. It is believed that no other fees are required for entry of this response, but should any additional

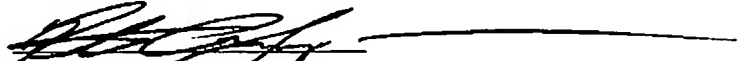
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Respectfully submitted,

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